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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL TRANSMITTAL**

SIR:

Please find an Amendment After Final transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the office action dated July 19, 2002, for which a response period expiring on October 19, 2002 was set. The extended period expires on December 19, 2002.

Please charge the **\$400.00** extension fee and any additional fees required to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this Transmittal is enclosed..

Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of July 19, 2002, Applicants hereby submit the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified patent application.

**In the specification:** /

Please substitute the following paragraph for the first full paragraph on page

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Figure 2 again shows the above-described components plug-in card 30, control signal 17, output signal 27, bus system 20 and peripheral 32 connected to the bus system. Plug-in card 30 is now inserted in the slot of a conventional

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